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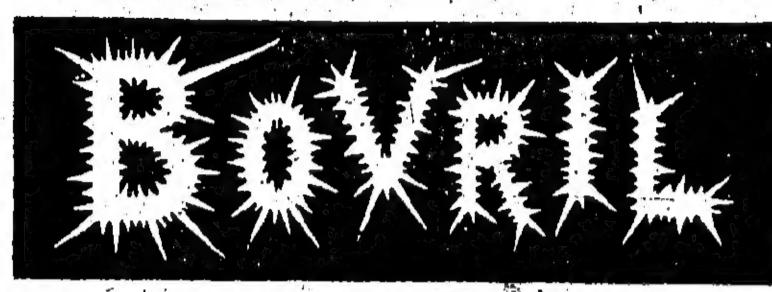
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MONDAY, the 22nd day of April, 1901, at 3 P.M., are published for general information. By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,

Colonial Secretary Acting Colonial Secretary Hongkong, 6th Arket 1991 Particulars and Conflitions of the letting & Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1901, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of CROWN LAND, at Pok-fu-lam Conduit Road, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of Years, with the option of renewal at a CROWN RENT to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term

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Hon. Secretary., Hongkong, 19th April, 1901.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF PAUL JOR-DON, LATE OF VICTORIA, IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG

ALEX, MACKENZIE,

NIOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Chief Justice has, in virtue of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897 made an Order limiting to the 1st day of JUNE, 1901, as the time for Creditors to send in their Claims against the Estate of PAUL JORDAN, late of Victoria Hongkong Broker deceased, who died at Victoria aforesaid on the 9th day of February, 1901, after having made and duly executed his last Will and Testament in writing probate whereof was on the 18th day of March, 1901; granted to GREGORY PAUL JORDAN one of the Executors therein named.

Notice is hereby also given that all such Claims are to be sent to the Undersigned as Attorney for the said GREGORY PAUL JORDAN on or before the said 1st day, of JUNE, 1901, or no notice will be taken of them. All Persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned.

Dated the 18th day of April, 1901. A. SHELTON HOOPER, *Attorney for GREGORY PAUL JORDAN, Executor of the Will of the Late PAUL JORDAN, deceased.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY per A cent. upon Contributions for the year 1900 has been declared. WARRANTS will be issued on the 1st May.

By Order of the Board, W. J. SAUNDERS, Hongkong, 19th April, 1901.

UNIVERSAL TRADING COMPANY. LIMITED,

NOTICE.

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Hongkong, 19th April, 1901. THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LIMITED.

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MARRIAGES.

On the 8th inst., at Bethesda, Bras Basah Road, Singapore, by Mr. A. R. Thoburn, Mr. JOHN CLEMENT CUFF, E. Ext. Aus. and China Tel. Coy., to ANNIE, daughter of Mr. A. L. Koenitz, Frankfort House, Singapore. "At St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore, on the 8th inst., by the Revd. D. Holland Stubbs, W. H. R. ALLEN, to FLORENCE M. E. SMITH, daughter of 1st class Gunner Smith, R. G. A.

DEATH. . April 8th, Rosa, the dearly beloved wife of G.B. Bettanin, of the United Service Hotel, Singapore, aged 55 years.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1901.

TELEGRAMS. SPECIAL TELECRAM.

THE CRISIS IN THE NORTH.

THE WINTER PALACE BURNT: NARROW ESCAPE OF COUNT WAŁDERSEE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) TIENTSIN, 18th April.

The section of the Winter Palace occupied by Field Marshal Count von Waldersee and Staff has been burnt. Nothing whatever was saved, and Count von Waldersee narrowly escaped with his life.

GERMAN OFFICERS MISSING. CAUSE OF FIRE UNKNOWN.

Several German Officers are reported to be missing. The cause of the outbreak of the fire is unknown.

THE CHINESE AGAIN MUSTERING.

hinese are The mustering Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs | strongly around l'actingfu and on the Hsianfu oad.

Received 9 p.m. 18th. Published 10.3 a.m. 19th.

We have received the additional information from a reliable private. source that Major-General Schwarzkopf met his death at the fire at the Winter Palace.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, April 17th. poort after marching through a most difficult pass and country.

has disturbed Boer preparations for a fresh invasion of Cape Colonyi states that since Sir Bindon Blood took P.W. D.

The northern advance of Colonel Plumer

command of the Eastern Transvaal, wrecking and looting of trains has stopped.

SIR ALFRED MILNER.

In consequence of ill-health, Mr. Chamberlain has granted Sir Alfred Milner leave of absence not exceeding three months, before entering upon his administrative work in British South Africa.

AVEATHES REPORT.

The Observatory report says :-- .

On the 19th at 12.5 p.m. the barometer is inclined to rise on the China coast: The depression seems to have passed over the coast near the mouth of the Yangize, and to be now moving towards W. Japan. The wind will probably freshen from N.E. in the Formosa Channel during the next 24 hours Forecast :--Variable winds, moderate; unsettled, showery

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A GOOD shorthand reporter is wanted, vide advertisement appearing elsewhere.

It is stated, that Mrs. Craigie (John Oliver Hobbes) will be the guest of Lady Curzon in India next " cold weather."

THE meeting of the Legislative Council summoned for Monday, the 22nd inst., at 3 p.m. is postponed to Tuesday, the 23rd inst., at 3 p.m. THE Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memoria and Nethersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge

with thanks the following donations to the

funds of the Hospitals :--. East Asiatic Trading Co.\$25 Hughes and Hough10 Hon. A. W. Brewin 5

WE learn, says the Foothow Echo of the 13th inst, that arrangements have been made by the French to ship a considerable number of coolies from this port to Madagascar. This will relieve a poor province of some of its surplus population and must be regarded as a good

AT the Sanitary Board meeting yesterday, the Secretary announced that the managers of the Electric Company were intending to fix up, asan experiment, a small lamp over each-shop in the Central Market. If the result was satisfactory, an estimate would be prepared for properly lighting the building.

WE, shall be obliged if any subscriber on receiving his paper late or irregularly will write on the Wrapper of the paper the Time of delivery, etc., and forward the Wrapper to the Manager, Hongkong Telegraph Co., Ld., 50 Queen's Road Central. The wrapper will enable us to check the delivery coolies.

Nor many companies would go so far in the way of providing luxuries for their employees as the Star Ferry Co., but we observe that they have put up a Turkish bath for their ticketcollector on the Kowloon Wharf, and are busy making one at Peddars Wharf... We hope that they will also provide him with a change of clothing for when he emerges from his pigeon-

THERE is not much further information concerning the American who was drowned at Macao last week. We are informed that he was gambling on Friday night at fan-tan, and had been at Hing Kee's hotel. It appears that he was in Macao about a week before his last appearance there, when he put up at the Boa Vista. He had no luggage, and therefore paid in advance. So far he has not been identified.

THE Band of the Madras Light Infantry, will play at the Hongkong Hotel to-morrow (Satur-

day) evening, from 8 to 9.30 p.m. :-	
PROGRAMME.	
PROGRAMME.	King.
n-Selection " Belle of New York "	Rarker.
1-Waltz	Bucalossi.
4-Cayatina " La Regina di Golconda"	Denizetti.
5.—Selection "Lucia di Lammeranor" '	Dodiesti
6.—Song "The Lost Chord"	Sullivan.
6.—Song	Valdteufel.
" "God save the King!"	

THE Portuguese authorities are very strict as to persons passing the Barrier at Macao at present. No one with a gun is allowed to go through without a permit from the Governor, and sportsmen visiting Macao will do well to: obtain them through the British Consul. A separate pass is required for each day. 'Ricksha's are searched for guns or ammunition at the Customs station just beyond the

Barrier. AN Indian contemporary says :- Mr. Maples announces, that the dream of Calcutta of electric cars will be fulfilled in another three months. The engines are on their way out, and by the beginning of June will probably be busy on the Kidderpore and Kalighat Sections. This is sooner than most people thought, and the despatch shows what Mr. Maples could do if he were only allowed a free hand. Farseeing and energetic, the tramway service in Calcutta might have under his skilful management been the best in Asia; but obstruction nullified his best endeavours.

In his Report on the colony for 1900, the Medical Officer of Health makes a special note on the twenty deaths from collapse of buildings, which, as he says, are obviously preventible, as we have pointed out time and again. He naturally suggests that there should be greater supervision during the building of new structures, and the repair or alteration of old ones. There is a building facing the back of this office, to which they are adding another story in height, and otherwise altering parts of the sold erection. We call attention to this job, one of many similar cases, where it seems to us that the work is being done in a very cheap and unworkmanlike manner. The old material. (bricks etc.) is being worked in as far as pos-Colonel Plumer has occupied Chunies | sine proken bricks and large. "dollops" of mortar being very useful for filling up space. If the Public Works Dept. would keep their eye on it, they might prevent a possible collapse during the rains. It is not pleasant to have a Chinese pidgin patchwork building close to this office, and we are sure the structure would The Times correspondent at Middleburg not meet, with unqualified approval from the

IT is to be hoped that our P.W.D. officials will note the splendid new roads in Macao, and the efficient state in which they are kept. Our Hongkong streets and roads are a disgrace, with their holes and badly metalled surface, compared with those of the Portuguese Colony. It is quite a treat, too, to ride in a Macao ricksha of ample breadth and neat fittings, after the narrow, cheap and nast. Hongkong vehicles. We also note that the Macao incksha men are satisfied with their legal fare, as the rule, not the exception.

THE LIARS.

The performance last night by the Brough Company of Henry Arthur Jones famous Comedy "The Liars" was attended with the success which was to be expected. The story is that of Lady Jessica Nepean the beautiful wife of Gilbert Nepean, who neglected by her husband, and fond of admiration, innocently enough encourages the attentions of a well known African Explorer Edward Falkner. The scene opens at the house of a mutual friend Freddie Tatton. The flirtation between Lady Jessica and Falkner has been talked about and their friends the Tattons and the Cokes and a colonel, Sir Christopher Deering, are discussing it. As Sir Christopher has introduced Falkner

into the house the others ask Sir Christopher to speak to his friend Falkner and persuade him to discontinue his attentions." This, Falle ner, who is very deeply in love with Lady Jessica, refuses to do. She although not seriously in love with Falkner foolishly consents to meet him at the Star and Garter Hotel as Shepperford, near which place she is staying with friends. A few minutes after she arrives her brother-in-law George Nepean who is waiting for the ferry across the river, sees her and enters. He puts the worst construction on her presence with Falkner and leaves abruptly saying that he will inform her hus-band. Lady Jessica realizing at last what she has done, determines to make up a story to the effect that she is dining with a party. The arrival on the scene of Lady Rosamund Tatton, her sister, decides her. She asks Lady Rosie to dine with her. Lady Rosie, however, replies that she cannot as she is with friends and is dining with them. However she consents to write to George Nepean saying that she dined with her sister. She then departs and Lady Jessica at once returns to town. The next arrival is Sir Christopher Decring, who comes in and finds Falkner alone and proposes to join him at dinner. Falkner consents but excusing himself dashes up to town. Next morning according to their agreement at the Star and Garter Lady Jessica and Lady Rosa mund meet at the latter's house in town, having arranged to explain all to George Nepean. They find it necessary to take Freddie Tatton, who is rather a nonentity, into their confidence. Shortly afterwards Sir Christopher Deering

arrives and he is begged to help them. He gives

them the choice of "two possibilities" namely telling a lie or sticking to the truth. They decide on the former course and make up a story, which unfortunately turns out to be a failure, as a triend of theirs, a Mrs. Crespin with whom the Tattons had been dining the night before, calls, and in the course of conversation tells them that she has met George Nepean rand has mentioned to him the fact that the Tattons dined with her. Dolly Coke a cousing of Lady Jessica then arrives and as she is more or less conversant with the matter in hand a fussy and ultra conscientious old man, refuses to countenance the proceedings at all, and matters are proceeding very badly when George i prisoner daily depends on the class of labour story but is obviously sceptical and says that he will not influence his brother in any way. Gilbert Nepean then arrives in response to a telegram from his brother and demands an explanation. It is not satisfactory as was then read. the conspirators, are all very nervous the truth, and exonerates her from blame. Act | receiving the regulation diet. IV. takes place in Christopher Deerings rooms in town. The Colonel is packing his kit preparatory to going to Africa on service, while so doing Beatrice Ebernoe a widow with whom he is in love comes in. In a very clever scene in which he proposes to her, in a rather breezy way, and she accepts him. After her departure Lady Jessica and Lady Rosamond-arrive and a little later Edward Falkner. Sir Christopher discovers that Lady Jessica is quite prepared to run away with Falkner, having apparently decided that she is in love with him. The Colonel shows them what a mad thing it is for both of them to do, and cites several cases of people whom they personally know who have done so, and come to grief in consequence. In the end he succeeds in dissuading them, and inducing Falkner, to come to Africa with him. Gilbert Nepean then arrives and the Colonel who is the guide philosopher and friend of them all, persuades him to forgive

The acting was excellent throughout. Mrs. her small part of Beatrice Ebernoe. Miss Freceive pork until promoted to first class. Bessie Thompson as the scandal loving Mrs. To: His Lordship. The portions of the 10-Crespin was also good and if she has a fault it gulation's bearing on the conduct of prisoners' is that of talking a little too much at the are read out to their weekly, diet scale included. audience, Mr. Lovell as Edward Falkner 1st Prisoner here explained to His Lordacted a most difficult part with great skill and ship that the cutting down of his food was a ease. Mr. Mario Majeroni as Gilbert Nepean | hardship. His Lordship replied that he had and Mr. Percy Brough as his brother George failed to prove that such a thing had been done. both acted well. Mr. Leslie Victor as Freddie Tatton was excellent and made the most of a not very interesting part. The minor characters were well filled and quite on a par with the rest of the performance.

Gadsby.

Footman at Cadogan Gardens.

Mr. McIntyre.

Mrs. Crespin

Beatrice Ehernoe

Bolly Coke (Cousin to Lady Jessica). Miss Grace Noble.

Perris (Lady Jessica's Maid).

Lady Rosamond Tatton

and

Satest Mrs. Brough.

Lady Jessica Nepeau(Lady Rossmond's Sister). Mrs. Brough SYNOTHIS OF SCHNERY, Act 1.—Smoking Room on the Lawn of Freddie Tation's House in the Thames Valley on a Summer Evening.

Act 11.—Private Sitting Room, No. 16, at the "Star and Garter," Shepperford, on the following Monday Even-Act III. -Lody Rosamond's Drawing Room, Cadegan

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. SUPREME COURT.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Before His Honour Sir John Carrington, Kt., C.M.G., (Chief Justice.)

THE VICTORIA GAOL OUTRAGE.

Mak Su, Ip Sam and Yeung Fuk were charged with attempting to murder Robert Henry Craig and also with doing to him grievous bodily harm. Prisoners entered a plea of guilty, on the first count saying "certainly we intended to murder," and to the second replied "yes, we did it."

The following jury were empannelled: Heinrich Carl Oldorf, Saul Abdulla Joseph, Albrecht Wilhelm Schellass, Adolphe Maria Barradas, Philip Moellar, George Richardson and Robert Trevelyan Head.

Mr. Pollock, K.C. Acting Attorney General, briefly opened the case for the Crown by explaining to the Jury the facts which would be brought forward in evidence.

Robert Henry Craig, sworn, stated:-I am. Asst. Superintendent in Victoria Gaol, and have been there two years on 13th May next. I was Chief Warder for four years before that and was fifteen years as discipline warder in the Imperial Prison Service. I have had about 21 years prison experience. On .27th ulto, at about ten minutes to ten I was inspecting the lower yard of the gaol accompanied by the Chief Wurder. The three prisoners were working in the yard picking oakun, all in the same party which contained between twenty and thirty. The first prisoner was under a ten years sentence for piracy. He was convicted of piracy on 18th July, 1900. The second prisoner was serving a term of 14 years for the Wing Lock Street Robbery in which a policeman was killed, from 18th January. Third prisoner was under sentence for forgery of three years. A plan of the

On the morning in question I was entering the wash-shed through one of the arches and was struck from behind on the back of the head. I turned about and saw the first and second prisoners in front of me, and while defending myself saw the third enter from the south side of the shed. It is an open shed with arches on both sides. He was coming towards me. I received a stab on each shoulder and one on the head from the first and second prisoners. I was not struck by the third; an officer prevented him as he was making at me with a knile. He was within four or five feet of me. The prisoners were overpowered and the weapons' produced, (two knives and a plane blade) taken from them.

Here Mr. Craig produced his bloodstained uniform coat showing the cuts, four, or five in Witness, continuing:-The plane blade fits

some of the cuts. Two cuts went through the coat, one on each shoulder. I am sure the second prisoner struck me; he was secured by the Chief Warder. The Gaol tools were compared with the inventory and found correct, Those used by prisoners do not belong to the Gaol. Dr. Thompson, Medical Officer of the Gaol, attended to my injuries. I am not yet is also enlisted to help. Her husband however, quite recovered. The tools are checked three times daily.

By ist Prisoner':--The rice allowed each Nepcan arrives by appointment. He is told the he is at. It, is not a standing rule of the Gaol that the warders are allowed to assault prisoners. Bills are fixed in the gaol and prisoners are allowed to make any legitimate complaint. " The order re complaints made by prisoners

I remember first prisoner making a comand conscious that their story is, as Freddie plaint that his food was insufficient. He com-Tatton remarks, "this." It is at this plained on 29th December last of having no important juncture that the cause of the oil with his rice. The complaint was noted trouble, Edward Falkner arrives. He at first He ate his food one day and complained the sticks up for Lady Rosamonds story, but next. He complained on 17th September that being implored by Lady Jessica herself tells | he had not enough food. He was told he was It was here discovered that these complaints

referred to the second prisoner.

Witness continuing:-The first prisoner made no complaint at all about food. On the day after the assault the first prisoner did not complain that he only got fourteen instead of I twenty-six ounces of rice. There is no such diet in the regulations. I did not order first prisoner to be flogged after making this complaint, nor did I order him to be put on plank, work for four weeks.

were sentenced to twelve strokes by the Captain Superintendent. His Lordsnip here told the first prisoner not to take up the time of the Court with nonsense. Nothing after the assault could affect his con-

The man were brought before the Capt. Superin-

tendent. They were not reported by me. They

duct in stabbing Mr. Craig. Wilness continuing :- It is not the usual custom to give each prisoner three and a. wife and it all ends satisfactorily if not happily half yards of cloth for a coat. Each prisoner, on hard labour is allowed 2402 of rice divided into three meals. The first six Brough as Lady Jessica was at times really months a prisoner is put on seventeen ounces; magnificent and the last scene with Falkner was of rice and he is in separate confinement: that quite faultless. Mr. Brough as Sir Christopher is the regulation. First prisoner made no was as always excellent, especially in his scene | complaint of only receiving fourteen ounces. with Lady Jessica and Falkner in the last act. It would be in the complaint book had he done Miss Temple as Lady Rosamund was very | so. I did not give him only fourteen ounces good and evidently has a large share of her | during the first six months, I do not know sister Mrs. Broughs talent. Miss Evelyn that first prisoner on several occasions weighed Martheze, was most natural and pleasing as his rice and found it short. A prisoner is not Dolly Cope. Miss Noble who acted so well in allowed four ounces of pork weekly after the "The Tyranny of Tears, was equally good in first six months confinement. He does not

> Witness to His Lordship :- He made a complaint to the Visiting Justices of low diet; and was told he was on the regulation diet of a

long sentence prisoner during his first sixmonths. This was on 17th August last. His Lordship informed the prisoner that if he found the scale of diet low, the only remedy he could suggest was that he should not get

By 1st Prisoner:-- When Messrs. Robinson and Tooker visited the Goal on 20th October they enquired into complaints about food and reported that the arrangements were good. can't say if 'st prisoner complained then. I am not aware that your diet was increased after this complaint and afterwards reduced. From 17th January to the date of the assault you had 24 oz. per day. I have not cut down

His Lordship here stopped the cross examination and the prisoner said he wanted to thresh the matter out, otherwise he would starve to death in goal,

By 2nd Prisoner :- There were no weapons lying about on the day of the assault to my knowledge, but I saw you with a knife. I did Gardens on Tuesday Morning.
Act VI.—Bir Christopher Deering's Rooms in Victoria Street on Tuesday Evening.
Time—I he Present not see you slab me from behind. There were not a number of convicts running about offer the stabbing. When I turned about you were

less than twenty inches from me. . I did not charge you merely because I saw you in custody of an Indian warder. Each prisoner is allowed to have his food each day. The rice is served out by weight. You have had four ounces of pork for the last six years every

Here Prisoner explained that he had been porkless for the last two years.

'Mr. Craig turned up an entry which showed that prisoner had been degraded and so received no pork but was put back in his class next day and after a period of a month's probation bace more received his pork. This was in 1840.

By 2nd Prisoner:- I never gave orders for vou not to be allowed to change your clothing. remember your being put on crank work and low diet for a month for having tobacco, and on the 4th July of last year for talking, insolence and disobedience to a month's crank and a week's solitary confinement.

Here prisoner asked if the regulations were so strict, how could he get tobacco. Probably, he said sarcastically, Mr. Craig gave it to him. Witness continuing :- I did not order warder No. 55 to flog you a few days after the assault.

By the third Prisoner :- It is not fa fact that you only had fourteen ounces of rice during. your first six months. You made no complaint about it. I remember your being reported on 22nd February, 1900, for not picking nine ounces of oakum and being put on rice and water after being passed by the doctor, enquired into the charge and found it proved. You were reported for very loud shouting under nunishment and were awarded seven days solitary. All complaints are thoroughly in-

Prisoner -- If this is so how is it that when make a complaintayou, say "get out" and refuse to hear me.

Witness: - I hat is not so, my lord. Prisoner:--Do you remember when I made a complaint last winter of a warder, throwing

water into my cell you punished me? Witness: -- There is no report to that effect. On the 16th February 1900 he was reported for loud shouting and was put on three days

His Lordship here explained that it was impossible to investigate these charges of solitary confinement for no offence etc. Mr Craig said he carefully enquired into all cases and it was impossible to say now if it was so or not.

The interpreter here reported that the prisoner said to the witness: "you had better tell the truth, or when you go up there again I will

To His Lordship:—I was assaulted by the second prisoner on the 28th July (897. He struck me with a bamboo. He was ordered twenty strokes and three days rice and water with less of marks by the Captain Superintendent and a visiting justice. I have had no other personal collision with any of the three prisoners and know of no personal animosity against me. First Prisoner bears a fair gaol character, Second Prisoner bad and Third Prisoner bad also.

Hoosein sworn stated: 1 am Interpreter at the Magistracy. I remember the prisoners being charged at the Magistracy. I interpreted the two charges to them and they all three admitted both. (Original charges put in.)

The Prisoners had no questions. Bishen-Singh, declared, stated:—I am an assistant, warder at Victoria Gaol. I was in charge of a gang of prisoners including defendants on 27th March in the lower yard. They were picking oakum! At ten minutes to ten the Chief Warder and Assist. Superintendent were going the rounds. They had passed the prisoners once. and on the second time of passing one of the prisoners went up to the Asst. Superintendent in front and one at the back. I saw the three prisoners strike him. I ran after the third and seized him and the other two were striking the Asst. Superintendent then. He was close to Mr. Craig when'l seized him and was running towards him. I had to run to catch him. He had a knife in his right hand; it was one of those produced. I did not actually see the third prisoner strike Mr. Craig but I did see the first and second do so.

By the First Prisoner:—I did not strike you with a stick after arresting, you.

By the Second Prisoner:-You had a weapon in your right hand. I can't say which of the three produced. I saw you run up and strike the Asst. Superintendent.

By the Third Prisoner: -- You had a weapon: like a knife in your right hand. You first had a piece of rope which you threw down and took a knife as you ran towards Mr. Craig.

You had not the piece of rope in your hand when I seized you. I cannot say which knife you had as I setted you at the back and the guard in front took it away. You cut my hand, as I seized you.

By the Jury :- The third prisoner drew the knife from his clothing. I did not see it before he ran towards Mr. Craig. By His Lordship:—The pakum pickers do

Abdullah, declared stated, he was an assis-. tant warder in Victoria Gaol, and went on to describe the assault and identified the three prisoners. He seized the second prisoner and received a cut across the left hand. His trowsers and coat were also cut and his upper lip was

injured. He did not see the third prisoner actually strike Mr Craig. By the Second Prisoner :- h saw you had a knife, in your hand and received a cut from it. The cut was not from the sword of one of the warders. There were no warders near, only in two European prisoners who came to my assistance. I did not see you struck and wounded.

The Second Prisoner informed the witness ...that he was too cowardly to tell the truth, The witness identified the weapon used by the second, prisoner, and the plane blade which was in the hand of the first prisoner.

Li Hong Li, declared stated, I am Court

Interpreter and interpreted the charges to the prisoner yesterday three times. They replied, "Yes, we did it; certainly, we did it!" . They thoroughly understood the charge. On the case being resumed after tiffin :--

Dr. J. C. Thompson, sworn, stated he was Medical Officer of Victoria Gaol. He had examined Mr. Craig shortly after the assault and found two wounds at the back of the head just below the crown, evidently inflicted by a sharp cutting instrument. They were separate cuts meeting at an obtuse angle. One was 31 in long and the other 21. They were both cut to the bone slanting downwards. There was a cut on the top of the head in front, an inch and a half in length and superficial. There were two wounds one on the front of the left shoulder probably inflicted by the plane blade. as also probably were those at the back of the head, while that on the front of the head was probably inflicted by a knife. The cuts on Abdoolah were one on the lower lip, and two on the left hand one an inch and the other three and a half inches long. He was sent to

By the First Prisoner :-- Mr. Craig's injuries might have proved fatal in the absence of a. doctor.; There is still numbress at the back of the scalp which may prove permanent. By the Second Prisoner :- All the wounds

on Mr. Craig were inflicted with sharp instru-By His Lordship :- Mr. Cmig's injuries were

The Interpreter here said that the prisoners wished to state that they appreciated Mr. May and Dr. Thompson as their own fathers.

back. This was the Wing Lok Street fire.

he had been called by the First Prisoner and was expected to tell anything he knew of illtreatment or cutting food.

Witness:-About food, it was not exactly

cutting down I was connected with the cooking department. If you put more water with the rice it increases the quantity. The first prisoner got his rice in varying quantities knew it because he weighed it. I saw him do so. For the first six months he would get 14 oz. of rice in the morning and 16 oz. in the afternoon. A long time ago there was a complaint made to the Visiting Justices about shortness of food. I know of no complaint made by the three prisoners. I was in the kitchen. I know nothing of Mr. Craig being harsh on any prisoners. I am all the time in the cookhouse. I know a prisoner may complain of his food; they do so.

sometimes and the complaints are enquired into. By the First Prisoner:—I remember when you came to me about your rice I told you it. was 22 oz. A prisoner is entitled to that. You said you were entitled to 26 oz. but I told you that you were only entitled to 22. Formerly each prisoner got four ounces of pork once a week; now the regulation is changed. can't say if you always got your correct supply of rice. I didn't distribute it., I did not tell you that Mr. Craig and the Chief Warder cut down the diet. I remember on one occasion there was some twenty pounds short in the rice.

By the Second Prisoner :- I supplied you

with the regulation amount of rice. By His Lordship:—The regulation quantity of rice has not been reduced since I have been of India, was fined \$2 or seven days for being the whole of the dry season. in goal. The allowance of rice depends upon the class you are in. If the prisoners do not ger sufficient rice they complain to the Visiting Justices. I remember your complaining of being cut four ounces of rice. I don't know

to whom the complaint was made. By the Third Prisoner: - You did suggest that your allowance should be 26 oz. of cooked rice and that you should be allowed to cook it yourself. I did hear you complain

of being cut of four ounces of pork. Cheung Lee, declared stated :-- I am a prisoner in Victoria Goal and have been there over ten years. I was convicted of murder and my sentence was commuted.

"The reason for his being called was then ex-

plained to the witness. The only thing he knew about cutting down of diet was once when it was cut down by regulation, about two years ago, when all the prisoners had their rice cut. The rice distributed by the prisoners attached to the kitchen. They give some more and some dess. If I didn't receive the right quantity-I would complain to the Visiting Justices,

fully cutting down first prisoner's rice. By Second Prisoner:-When I went to gaol and got into the first class I had four ounces of pork a week. Since the new regulations

I don't know anything about Mr. Craig wrong-

I have had six ounces. By third Prisoner:-- A prisoner, after three. years, is allowed six ounces of pork a week. The third prisoner thought pork a very important question. If he didn't get enough he

couldn't do his work and got punished. Fen Cheong, declared :-- I am a prisoner in Victoria Gaol under a sentence of five years for armed robbery. I have been there 22

It was explained to him that the first prisoner had called him to prove an assault committed by Mr. Craig upon him.

He knew nothing of it. Li-Tak, declared :- I am a prisoner in Victoria Gaol under a commuted sentence for murder. I have been in goal 149 months,

His Lordship explained that the second prisoner wanted him as a witness to prove illtreatment on the part of Mr. Craig. Witness: Mr. Craig did not give him, en-

ough food; less than the regulation allowance. It was the fault of the prisoners in the cookhouse. They had only been there a short time and so did not know the correct quantity to give. It was nothing to do with Mr. Craig. If a prisoner did not get his proper food he could complain to the Justices. A good inany of them have made such complaints. I am an old man, my Lord, have been there a number of years. I can't ear much, could do with less, and have no complaint to make.

By the Second Witness :- Four or five years ago Tremember your complaining of Mr. Craig culting diet. Prisoners serving long sentences are allowed to have a certain amount of pork each week. This applies to first-class prisoners. I don't know anything about Mr. Craig cutting your diet.

The third prisoner had a lot of questions to put regalding pork and rice, but nothing of value to the case was elicited.

Chan Law, declared :- I am a prisoner in Victoria Ghol under sentence of 18 years imprisonment for manslaughter. I think I was convicted in 1892.

He 200, failed to establish any ill-treatment on the part of Mr. Craig. Mok Chun, declared :-- I am a prisoner in Victoria Caol serving a sentence of ten years for larceny, but I did not commit the offence.

was sentenced about nine months ago. He also knew nothing affecting the case. By Mr. Pollock :- About two years ago assaulted Mr. Craig and a warder. I was assaulting Mr. Craig and hit the warder accidentally when he got in the way. I got six months separate confinement-and-go-strokes-

Leong Tan Gheong declared :- I am a prisoner in the Victoria Gaol under a six year sentence for larceny. I was sentenced three years ago.

He knew nothing affecting the case but delivered a homily upon the shortcomings of short sentence men as cooks and suggested that the Gaol Authorities put the old hands to the work.

(Case proceeding.)

AT THE MAGISTRACY.

. THE VITRIOL OUTRAGE.

George Allen, 31, Storeman of the Naval Yard, was charged before Mr. Hazeland that he on the 17th day of January, 1901, and divers subsequent dates at Victoria in this Colony feloniously did aid, abet, counsel and procure one Yeung Kun to throw a certain destructive substance upon one G. Reek, which destructive substance was in fact thrown upon the said G. Reek on the 14th day of March, 1901, whereby the said G. Reek did suffer grievous bodily

The case was remanded to 25th instant. Bail

April 19th. FALSE WRICHTS.

For having false weights on his premises at 340 Des Vœux Road West, 'Lo Wo was fined' by Mr. Kemp thirty-dollars or six weeks hard hour. He paid up.

A SHIP CAPTAIN FINED.

Inspector Kemp charged Thomas Meade, master of the French's s. Le Rhone with have the land population, as in 1899.

Lau Wai Chu, declared stated, I am a pri- ling on board his vessel'on the 17th instant 348 soner in Victoria Gaol, on a sentence of 12 passengers in excess of the number allowed by years' hard labour for arson since five years | the vessel's licence. Defendent stated it was impossible to keep the passengers from com-· His Lordship explained to the witness that ling on board at Canton. The Chief Engineer corroborated. A fine of a hundred and seventy-five dollars or two months' hard labour was imposed and paid. Le Rhone is French river boat running between here and

> Ng Sham Wing and Ng Kwan Wing were charged on the information of P. Const. Geo, Watt, with having in their possession, without a permit, 26 rifles, 47 revolvers, 234 Bayonets, 2,950 rounds of ammunition and 17 cases of ammunition. Defendants pleaded guilty and Mr. Kemp imposed a fine of one dollar or four days' hard labour. The arms and ammunition were confiscated.

> > JUNK MASTERS FINED, A

Wong Ho and Wong Shing, junk masters were charged on the information of Inspector Kemp with anchoring their craft within fifty yards of the telegraph cables. Fines of \$25 or six weeks were imposed. Wong Shing pre-

There were a number of opium cases heard

at the Magistracy this morning and fines rang-

ing from \$2 to \$500 were imposed.

drunk and incapable in the public street. He

HONGKONG DURING 1900.

We take the following extracts from the Report of the Medical Officer of Health, for the year 1900 :---

At the latter end of the year the Sanitary and Building Ordinances of the Colony were extended by Ordinance No. 30 to that portion of territory between the shore and the first range of the Kowloon Hills, extending from Lyeemoon Pass on the east to Laichikok on the west (having a sea-frontage of some tenmiles), thus making the total area of the Kowloon Health Districts about 18 square miles, and bringing within the jurisdiction of the Board that collection of dirty and insanitary dwellings known as Kowloon City.

The island of Hongkong has an area of rather more than 29 square miles and the City of. Victoria is situated upon its northern shore. extending along the sea-front for a distance of four-and-a-half miles and up the hill side to the city limit of 600 feet above high-water mark.

The domestic buildings of the City of Victoria number 8,600 (exclusive of Barracks and Police Stations) of which 738 are European dwellings. while there are also some 130 European dwell ing in the Hill District.

This shows a decrease of 14 Non-Chinese dwellings as compared with the previous year and an increase of 693 Chinese dwellings. Th plans of 1.319 new buildings, and of alterations to 3,186 existing buildings have passed through my hands during the year, with a view to seeing that they complied strictly, with the Public Health Health Ordinances of the Colony. During the previous year plans of 634 new buildings, and of alterations to 772 existing buildings were received, so that the records of the past year show great activity in building operations throughout the Colony, which has been occaisioned in part by the alterations required by Ordinance 34 of 1899.

GENERAL SANITARY CONDITION. the enforcement of the provisions of the In- personal servants residing within the reserva- split. It was a gentle operation, ulterior desanitary Properties Ordinance of 1899, which, ition area, but in no case should any native | signs being veiled by the mild phraseology of was passed on November 28th of that year, and which required, thier alia, the provision of open spaces in the rear of many existing domestic buildings. A large number of old buildings throughout the Colony have now been provided with these backyards and although they rarely exceed the legal minimum of so square feet in area, yet some improvement is already perceptible in the lighting and | from the native population. ventilation of the back part of many of these dwellings. All new domestic buildings must now be provided with backyards, or back lanes varying from 6 feet to 14 feet in width, in accordance with the depth of the house, and as plans of no less than 1,319 new buildings have heen sent in during the year, it will be seen that this provision will gradually have a marked effect upon the general sanitary condition of the Colony. The Sanitary Board are now engaged upon an earnest alternat to secure a reduction in the present excessive height of buildings. for the provisions of the present law in this respect are calculated togstultify, to a greatextent, the benefit which should accrue from these open spaces in the rear of buildings. For more than fifty years past, many of the larger cities of Great Britain have prohibited. the crection of buildings of a greater height than the width of the streets on which they front, while in this Colony domestic | be found no less than twenty (together with one buildings can still be erected, under certain conditions, to a height of 46 feet in of buildings, none of which were occasioned lance only 14 feet in width, and in streets of by fires. This appears to be a very heavy just over 20-feet in width buildings can be mortality from an obviously preventible cause, erected of a height of as feet and can have balconies on either side of such street project- of supervision over the actual work, both of ing over the factways and reducing the width | construction and of the repair of dwellings, is of such street which is open to the sky to 11 or | needed in this Colony, 12 feet only. Many old houses which were I ain the large Cities of England it is customoriginally designed as two-story buildings have an for the Municipal authority to employ a sooner, therefore, the law is amended in this and of repairs to existing buildings, and to respect, the better will it be for the general report at once any defects observable sanitary condition of the Colony.

erection of such obstructive buildings.

Several additional latrines were in process of on the subject. erection at the latter end of the year, but there is still the same urgent need for urinals. been pointed out by me since 1897, and it is I. believe, one of the principal causes of the offensive smells which grise from many of the street gullies and the drains, as, in the absence of suitable conveniences, the coolies have no the purpose.

The total number of deaths among the which one only was Non-Chinese. Chinese from the Malarial Fevers was 887, as compared with 532 during the previous year

MALARIAL FEVERS.

was subsequently published for general in-

"The modern theory in regard to the transmission of Malaria is that the disease is conveyed from man to man by certain mosquitoes belonging to the genus 'Anopheles,' of the Dipterous (or two-winged) Family 'Culicidae.'

It has long been known that true Malaria is associated with the presence of certain minute organisms in the blood of the patient and it can readily be understood that when a patient suffering from Malaria is bitten by a mosquito, some of these organisms are taken (with the blood) into the body of the mosquito. The malarial organisms there undergo certain developmental changes and should the same mosquito subsequently bite a healthy person, he becomes inoculated with the disease, and may develop an attack of Majaria,

· The Anopheles differs from the ordinary mosquito (genus 'Culex') in that its approach is not heralded by that noisy 'ping' that characterizes the latter; that its bite is not nearly so initating to the skin; that it rarely bites except between sunset and sunrise, and that while the 'Culex' will breed in any old flowerpot or tin containing water, the 'Anopheles is fortunately more choice in its selection of a breeding ground, and generally requires a small sheltered pool, containing perhaps organic matter in suspension or a small quantity of water weed, and 'the water of which is neither stagnant her yet pure spring water. The 'Anopheles' can travel a distance of some 400-500 yards and can remain alive for a period William Bishop a seaman on the Empress of several months—that is to say, throughout

Asiatics, and especially children, suffer more or less constantly from Malaria, as they adopt no means of protection from the bites of mosquitoes, and 'Anopheles' are almost always to be found in the neighbourhood of native dwell ings, while some I to 5 per cent. of them will be found to contain the malarial organism. follows therefore :---

(1.) That European houses should be distant some 400-500 yards at least from native dwellings.

(2.) That all pools in which 'Anopheles' can breed should be filled up or drained, for a like distance, around such European

(3.) That all brushwood and rank vegetation, including grass, should be kept down by frequent cutting.

(4.) That inosquito-nets should be used

A certain amount, of work was done during | the year in the direction of the treatment of bitter fruit which was wrapped up in these insome of the Anopheles pools with paraffin, and | nocent-looking demands. The germ of the of the filling up of others with concrete, but | whole French policy in the Far East was by apparently without any great success, and I that simple concession introduced into the am afraid that nothing but a thorough is home. Chinese hody politic—the aggressive alliance of training of the Nullahs on the outskirts of I with the Church, the deep purposes of which the City will have any appreciable effect in | had been copiously expounded in State papers reducing the number of mosquitoes capable of from the days of Louis XIV, descending in an carrying infection.

every effort should rather be turned to the protection of Europeans," and I certainly think that the same principle holds good in this negotiated, a material advance was made on the Colony. The Colony has recently acquired a French agreements of 1844 and 1846. A general very extensive addition to its territory and demand was now made for toleration of Christievery effort should be made to secure and anity in China. This again was a covert design maintain an extensive European reservation in to gain something more than what was this new territory, before the land becomes, too valuable for the Government to be able to accorded. What was really contemplated by resume from the native holders. This reserva- the two Powers, or by their respective protion should be surrounded by a zone of neutral | pagandists who pushed them from behind, was ground, at least a quarter of a mile wide, on laggression, religious only on the part of Great which neither European nor native dwellings | Britain : religious, political and military on the should be allowed; but which should be utilized | part of France: The concession to France in by the Government for the cultivation of trees | 1846, was the iron wedge driven into the granite or laid out in part as a recreation ground. | block: the concessions of 1858 and 1860 were The year has been a very busy one, owing to There is no objection to a small number of the water applied to it, causing the rock to families be allowed, as it is the native children, the treaties. The Christian religion was reand especially those under the age of ten years, " who are the principal source of infection in

> In view of the very considerable number of deaths from Malaria Fever among the troops, it would appear to be especially important that all Barracks should be isolated in this manner

There were 361 deaths of Chinese from Beri-Beri during the year, as compared with 197 deaths in the previous year. The numbers of deaths among the floating population alone

The deaths were evenly distributed throughout the year as will be seen from the following

January, 133 July, 52 February, 26 August, 27 March, M..... 27 | September, 25 April, 30 | October, 3t May, 33 | November, 41 June, 31 December, 32

Among the accidental deaths of Chinese will Non-Chinese death) as a result of the collapse and suggests that a very much greater amount

recently been raised to three and four-story number of Inspectors of Buildings, whose sole buildings under this present, law, and the duty it is to watch the progress of construction, the old work thus exposed, or any breach The question of the resumption of insanitary of the Building laws. In this Colony much of this general cause. As Protestants have taken or obstructive buildings is one which must the constructional work is left entirely in full advantage of the French treaty, it is difficult shortly receive the serious attention of the Go- the hands of Chinese contractors, without to see how they can avoid the charge of being vernment, as there are many private lanes in the supervision of the Architects who de- accessory after the fact to the means by which the City which have been converted into in- | signed the building or the alteration (except in | it was obtained. The situation, it must be only below the first floor. Such obstructive more urgently needed here than at home. buildings should be resumed and demolished. The matter is one which concerns the Sanitary | field to their, competitors. Only one mission and this can now be readily done under the Board only so far as the unnecessary loss of that I have heard of resisted the temptation. Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance of 1900, life is concerned, but on these grounds alone | the one directed by Bishop Scott of Peking. while legislation is needed to prohibit the further | the Board would, I think, be justified in making a strong tepresentation to the Government

SMALL-POX.

especially in the City of Victoria. This need has during the first quarter of the year, 16 of them | the strong hand of their Government to support being Chinese and the remaining 4, other them in an untenable position Asiatics; six Chinese cases were reported during the second quarter and one during the Chinese Government in relation to these fourth quarter. One European case also oc- dubious transactions. Leaving aside the quescurred during the fourth quarter, the patient I tion of comparative ethics, on which Western option but to make use of these receptacles for being an employee of the Kowloon Docks who | nations assume superiority over Fastern, had contracted the disease in Swatow. The has not the history of the introduction number of deaths from Small-pox was 17, of and spread of the Christian propaganda in

year was 4,406 as compared with 6,529 in 1899, and 500 during 1898; this is equal to death- and 7,04 in 1898. This appears to be a most was demanded of them has never been rate of 3.3 per 1,000. The death-rate among unsatisfactory state of affairs, and I think that the thing that was enforced; that the pretence the boat population alone from this cause was more encouragement should be given to this has borne no resemblance to the reality; that 2,2 per 1,000, less, that is to say, than among most important means of prophylaxis. In 1897, the religion which inculcates virtue is break-

The Colony has endeavoured to keep pace I offered to the Chinese House Surgeons at the with the recent researches into the actiology of | Native Hospitals (Tung Wa, Alice Memorial Malaria, and in October last I submitted the | and Nethersole) for all successful vaccinations, following minute to the Sanitary Board and it | the vaccine to be supplied by the Government, with a view to increasing the number of vaccinated persons in the Colony, and thereby reducing the mortality from this disease. This scheme was specially recommended by the Sanitary Board, by resolution, in August, 1898, and has been arged by me in subsequent Annual Reports, but has, I regret to say, not yet been given effect to.

The number of deaths from this disease in 1899 was 35, while in 1898 there were 110 deaths and in 1897, 209 deaths, and it is probable therefore that the temporary reduction in the number of deaths from this disease has fed to the marked apathy in regard to vaccination.

THE MISSIONARY QUESTION.

(Continued from yesterday.).

The following is the continuation of Mr. Michie's lecture, at the City Hall, on Tuesday :-Before attempting to deduce tany practical hints for the betterment of the existing situation, a glance at the manner of introduction of missions into China may not be amiss. For it has not been so clean and shove-board as befitted the pure character of Christianity. Its entry has in fact been insidious, and attended with as much craft as the most fine-drawn pieces of worldly diplomacy usually are. Being all within the memory of living men, the various stages of the process are easily verified by any one who feels interested in the subject. The modern missionary question is not yet sixty years old. It was opened subsequent to and consequent upon the treaty of Nanking of Cemèteries, funereal rues, churches for Christian worship were permitted under the Treaty of Nanking. This applies of course to the five treaty ports to which all foreign intercourse was then strictly confined. The French sought, as an extension of these privileges, that the Chinese natives professing Christianity should likewise be projected. Their requests were considered and approved by the Imperial Commissioner, Kiying, who memorialised the throne on the subject in 1844 and 1845. In reply the fullest toleration was granted by Imperial Rescript to "the religion of the Lord of Heaven which instructs and guides men in well-doing." More than that, the Emperor decreed that "the ancient houses which had been built in the reign of Kanghsi"be, with specified exceptions. "restored to the professors of this religion in their respective places." The French demands were thus conceded with every appearance of liberality and good faith. The Chinese statesmen of that time seemed unsuspicious of the unbroken series, with constantly accumulating In a recent Report to the Royal Society, Drs. force, to own day. This first step, as all sub-Stephens and Christophers, who are working | sequent steps, in the introduction of missionaries at this subject in Lagos, say that "to stamp | was a conscious or unconscious imposition on out native malaria is at present chimerical, and | the Chinese, inasmuch as the ulterior purpose

was concealed under a pretext. When the Treaties of 1858 came to be asked for, since full toleration had already been presented as teaching men to be virtuous; its other attributes being carefully concealed. Thus the grand hypocrisy of Christendom was embalmed in greaties dictated to China by the two victorious Powers-one Catholic and the other Protestant. It is impossible in this case to make any distinction between them.

Next, a fraud, audacious and flagitious, was perpetrated by a French missionary in the interests of the Catholic propaganda in 1860, when a clause of the most drastic significance was smuggled into the Chinese text only of the French treaty, unknown even to its nominal negotiator, Baron Gros. It stipulated for the full restitution of the buildings and other properties of the early Christians, irrespective of all intermediate ownerships, and irrespective. apparently of those which had been already restored by the decree of 1846. It also provided for the permanent residence of missionaries in the interior, and for their buying land and creeting houses and churches. The clause might possibly have been repudiated by the Chinese Government on the discovery being made that it was not contained in the French version. for by agreement between the high contracting parties it was the French text alone which was to rule in case of disputed interpretation. But the Chinese had not the courage to face a fresh quarrel, perhaps even another war with France. The French Government, on its part, took no pains to bring the two versions of the treaty into harmony, but on the contrary allowed full advantage to be taken of the interpolated clause. The deception was indeed commented upon by Protestants, but their missions nevertheless availed themselves of its provisions under the "most favoured nation" privilege; And so it came to pass that the whole system of inland, missions for the last forty years has been carried on under the acgis of this equivocal. And, broadly speaking, the missionary troubles, with their attendant crimes and outrages during the past 35 years have arisen from sanitary courts by the erection of dwellings at | the case of important European buildings), and | freely admitted, was most embarrassing for both ends of the lane, leaving a passage way it would seem therefore that such a staff is even them. They had either to follow the Catholic propaganda into the interior, or abandon that Its members did not, indeed, refrain from going into the interior of the country, but so far as I have understood they claimed no rights there, and when persecuted in one city, they did not Twenty cases of this disease were reported hesitate to flee to another, rather than invoke Consider for a moment, the position of the

China been such as to fill the Government The total number of vaccinations recorded last of the country with warrantable suspicion? Have they not seen that the thing that I recommended that a small bonus should be ing up their country as the toots of a banyan live and one out what is not being them. I deters

tree dislocate a stone wall? And in the perfectly natural suspicion may we not discover some explanation, if not palliation, of the tortuous and criminal ways by which the Chinese have sought to thwart the purposes of those. whom they regard as oppressors, bent on their destruction?

This would be a vain dissertation unless it

opened the door to remedial measures. And this reflection brings me unfortunately to the weakest point in this address. The calamities which have been entailed on the Chinese people are, for the greater part, as much beyond the reach of remedy as the real of the propaganda Tis beyond the reach of argument. The religious aspect of the movement is not a legitimate subject for Government, interference, however much it may invite general criticism. The mundane aims of the Romanist branch, and the territorial ambitions of the Powers with which the Church is bound up, are of too old standing to be affected by transitory occurrences or by public opinion. Of the whole composite structure of the propaganda, therefore, all that remains which is amenable to treatment is that small fraction of it which touches the civil relation between the Protestant missionaries and their respective governments, which for this purpose, are represented by Great Britain and the United States, In perfect good faith, though utterly blind to what they were doing, these two Powers opened the door to their countrymen to overrun China. but without taking, adequate steps to control their operations. They, thus imposed on the Chinese an unworkable agreement, and the illadjusted machine has broken down. The question of inland residence had been urged by British merchants on their Government, which steadfastly refused to make such as demand on China on the ground, as stated by Sir R. Alcock, that inland residence was incompatible with exterritorial privileges, and by Sir Thomas Wade. that he could not recommend a British Consul to be sent to a place where a gunboat could not reach. It would throw an unfair burden on the Chinese to compel them indiscrimina-Tely to entertain strangers who were exempt-from their jurisdiction, and it would be unfair to British subjects to allow them to reside in places where they could neither be controlled nor protected. Hence inland residence was refused to merchants, though, as we have seen, it was tacitly by an oblique process, granted to missionaries-a much more dangerous social element. But, having allowed British missionaries, whether explicitly or implicitly, to avail themselves of the permission, it seems clear that the Governments were morally bound to supervise them, and either to follow them up by Consular officers, to prevent disputes with Chinese officials, or to impose such regulations for their conduct as would work automatically as between the missionaries and the local authorities.

Having omitted to make any provision whatever for a clear understanding between the missionaries and the mandarins, and having discovered in the sequel the tragic consequences which the neglect entailed, it would appear that it became the duty of the Governments concerned, however late, to make good the omission as far as might be practicable. That duty remains to this day unfulfilled.

(To be continued.)

IF SMITH HAD EXPLAINED.

My wife says, and she says it with a snap, that never, never again will the Smiths get an invitation to ent at our house. And when she once makes up her mind to anything sale sticks to it like shoemaker's was to a bit of woollen cloth. You see the Smith's, man and wife, were old shid

intimate friends of ours. Wellypd within a stone throw of each other for many years, and were as thick as treacle. As to our worldly estate, we were about on a level, in yory moderate circumstances. . Between two and three years ago Smith's employers sent him to America on some business errand; he

would not tell us what. A fortnight since he turned up at home and gave out that he had made a trille of money for himself while he was away. Last Tuckday we had them to dinner; the best dinner my wife could get up. And it was a good: one, if I do say it myself. Yet, socially, it was a fair

lure. In the old times Smith had the appetite of a eah-horse. Now he picked and winced over the very dishes that used to be his favourites. As my wife presed him to taste this or that, he thanked her politely, but he didn't eat. Mrs. Smith apologised for her husband, and said he had been alling somewhat since his return from America. So the dinner ended in disappointment, and the Smiths went home early. "Poor Smith is ill," said I. " No " said my wife. "he isn't ill. He's proud. He thinks his old friends; aren't good enough for him; that's where it is. Ho's rich, and we are poor, and ___ " The worried woman here broke down and cried, and I went out for a con-

And yet, bless your soul !- wait a moment however. If Smith had been perfectly frank and said, "I am not the man I was. I lived high in America, and I'm all gone to pieces with inflammatory dyspepsia, and this splendid dinner will half kill me if I cat it." If he had said that we should have pulled through without a break. Why didn't he ray it?

Hero is a lady who does not hesitate to tell us her experience with that wretched ailment. Miss M. J. Barton is her name, and her home, 56, Sorby Street, Sheffield. In a written statement dated September 19th, of which the following is the sum and solstance. she says that it is now rather more than two veres. since her health began to full. At first, she thought; it was only some trivial ailment that would soon pass away, for beyond loss of appetite and a feeling of languor and weariness, there did not seem to be much the nutter with her.

So she struggled on with her work as do countless thousands of brave women every day, hoping to be right again in a short time.

But alas ! her hope was short lived, for Indigestion, that demon health-destroyer, had got her in its iron grasp and would not set her free. Instead of getting better, the beginne works.

Her tongue was now always foul and nasty, and after taking food-no matter how little-she experioused such a sense of fulness and tightness in the chest that she could scarcely breathe. "It seemed." she says, "as if some heavy weight was resting on my chest and pressing in my ribs." Indeed her chest became so sore and painful that she could scarcely. bear anything to touch it, and was almost afraid to walk about, the slightest jolting hurt her so.

This feeling of weight and oppression in the chest is one of the most distressing and common symptoms of Indigestion. Like the red, flag of the rallway signalman it counsels caution and warns of danger ahead. What untold pain and misery might be avoided if only we heeded these danger signals of nature, but there, what's the good of moralising. We don't take warning, therefore suffer in consequence. Miss Burton did for she goes on to say :-

" At times, I suffered intensely from wind spesing, and was constantly vomiting sour water. Sleep no. longer refreshed me, for it only came in snatches and was disturbed by horrible dreams. Deprived of proper rest at nights, and afraid to eat much because of the fearful pains that were sure to follow, small wonder I got so weak and thin, that at last I was forced to give in and take to my bed, where I stayed for six weeks.

During that time I vomited a quantity of blood; "The doctor said I was suffering from Indigestion and my ulcerated stomach. His modicine enabled me to get down stairs again, but did not cure me, for I still suffered great pain after enting, and was always tiral and weary.

"In this condition I remained for several months, despairing of over being well again, but providentially I was led to try Belgel's Syrap, and to that medicine alone is due my present good health. Now I can bat heartily and enjoy my meals without fear of pain, and feel brighter and better in every way than I have

Why Mr. Smith didn't mention his Illness at our dinner, I don't know. He admitted it afterwards to me. Htill my wife hasn't forgiven him. "Happy." says Homer, "are those why died under the high walls of Troy." Happier yet, say I are those who

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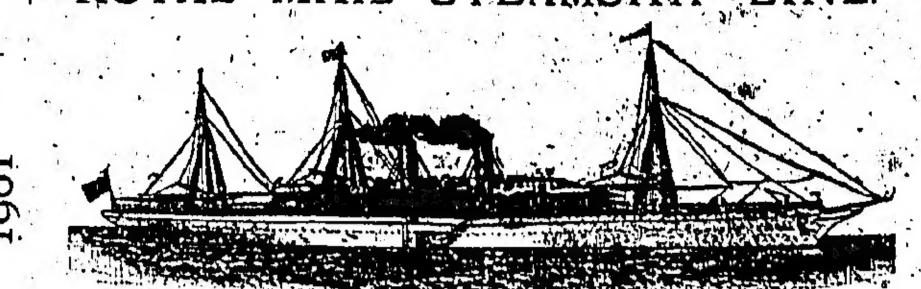
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Nagasaki, Kobe, In- (Thursday, 17th June, land Sea, Yokohama (at Noon. and Honolulu).

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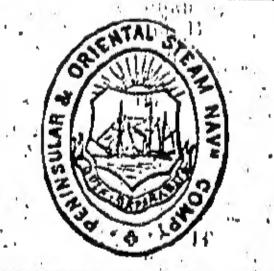
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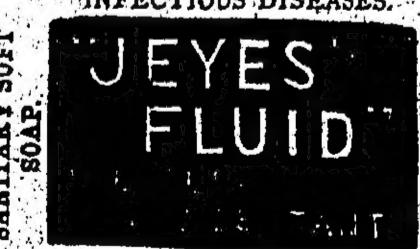
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Chamber of Commerce, Hongkong, 19th April, 1901. Dear:Sir,-This Chamber has been informed by the Government of the receipt of a notification from the rengal Government to the effect that plague restrictions will be enforced at Chittegong against arrivals from Talwan. I'am, dear Sir.

Yours faithfully, R. CHATTERTON WILCOX.

Secretary. ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB,

No. 10 Race will be re-sailed on Sunday, the 21st inst., Course No. 21, Club Race No. 11, on Sunday, the 28th inst., Course No. 23.

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THE PLAGUE.

"Number of cases reported up till noon of the 18th April, 1901"	Other Asiatics:
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ROBERTS AT PENANG.

An exceedingly interesting display was seen on the 10th inst., says the Penang Gazette, when John Roberts, the Billiard Champion, engaged in a friendly contest of 1,000 up with our local. amateur, Mr. D. A. M. Brown.

Brown was conceded 700 at the start. Roberts broke the balls, and after an ineffective attempt by Brown to score, Robeits tasted first blood with a fluke. This was immediately followed up by a break of 40 Successive breaks of 22, 7,4, 8, 6, 8, 4, brought him to 102/720, Browff thus being ten behind his points. Breaks of 25, 4, 5, 15, 19, 13, 12, from Roberts brought the acore to 195/773, both players now being well up to their points, Roberts followed up with 22, 20, 24, 5, 2, 13, 13. 1, 5, bringing him to his third hundred; Brown had been more active and his score of 842 was 52 ahead of his points, Roberts" reached 407 by breaks of 6, 29, 8, 28, 42, Brown meanwhile getting to 905, more than So ahead of his points. Indeed, at one time, the score stood at 365/902, Roberts at this stage being actually some 340 behind his points. From 407 his score rose by 40, 6, 12, 7, 60 473, when a carefully played 92, including a pretty series of nursories along the top Pettiana cushion, with one or two marvellous recoveries. -Fsinan-..... took it to 565 to Brown's 917. From this point Brown seemed to prefer being a spectator, as he made only 13 more altogether, while Roberts, playing in beautiful form and now better acquainted with the table, rapidly chimed in with 73, 3, 14, 4, a lovely, 187, 13, and finally with an unfinished break of 102 ran out amid much applause, the score at the finish being called: Roberts 1,001, Brown 930.

After the game, was concluded. Roberts gave an exhibition of trick strokes; his cannons into a hat, and other "steeple-chasing" devices being muck admired.

There was a very good attendance, considering the very brief notice given to members; and much credit is due to the sportsmanlike efforts of Mr. Suhi, who at the last moment arranged the exhibition. Mr. Brown was in anything but good form, thanks especially to a stiff-neck; but a travelling friend of Roberts assures us that 930 is the highest score yet made against the champion during his recent tour in India and Burmah. Brown's best breaks were 13, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21 and 15, . . The champion left on the 11th inst. for Singapore.

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Friday, 19th April 1901. Chinese—1st of 3rd moon of 27th year of

Moon-New Moon Shr. Limin a.m. High water Morning 8hr. 49min. Asternoon ohr 57min. Low , water - Morning phr. armin. Afternoon 3hr. 21min.

ANNIVERSARIES. 1858-The Editor of the Hongkong Datly Press sentenced to six months imprisonment for libelling the Governor.

de Paris at Yokohama discovered; Human, British str., for Foochow. suicide of the captured criminals, W. S. Swaby and V. Cantelli, 1881-Lord Beaconsfield died assa-Death of Charles Darwin, the great Bentomond, British str., for Moji.

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1896-Cholera reported prevalent in Singapore 1897-The Greek fleet laid Prevesa in ruins and the Turks captured the Maluna

1899-Duc d' Arcos presents his (Spanish) credentials at Washington. Minister Stone ordered to Madrid from Berlin. 1900-Death of Mr. Boyd Bredon Commissioner of Custonis, at Swatow.

Saturday, 20th April, 1901.

.Chinese-2nd of 3rd moon of 27th year of Rwang-su. Sun-Rises 5hr. 45min. Sets Ohr. 20min. High water-Morning ohr. 23min. .. Afternoon Tohr. 52min. Low water-Morning 3hr. 14min. Afternoon 4hr. gmin. ANNIVERSARIES.

1808-Napoleon III. born. 1892-The s.s. Laokai lost off Tonkin with 32

1896-Armed gang robbery at Kowloon City. 1897-An address presented to Sir Claude Macdonald by the Hongkong Branch of the China Association.

1898-The Spanish Minister at Washington demands his passports. U. S. President signs ultimatum to Spain. Spurgeon's Tabernacle destroyed by fire.

AGENDA.

9 p.m. - The Brough Company at the Theatre Cargo ex Lowther Castle subject to rent.

Cargo ex Coromandel subject to rent.

for Coast Poits. MONDAY, czand. Noon-M. M. Co.'s steamer Oceanien with Mails etc. leaves for Europe. .

SKIPPING AND MAIL HEWS.

MAILS, DUE.

Indian (Lightning) to-morrow. American (City of Peking) 21st instant. French (Indus) 21st instant. American (Gaelic) 26th-instant Australian (Eastern) 27th instant. Canadian (Empress of Japan) 6th prox.

American (Hongkong Maru) 7th prox.

American (China) 15th prox.

The Da & Co.'s steamer Potural Jernen from Japan, China and Hongkong arrived at New York on the 14th inst.

The N. Y. K.'s steamer Shinano Maru, (European Line) left Singapore for this port yesterday, the 18th inst, and is expected to arrive here on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

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d'Alger. Homeward and April Tonkin, Kiauts. chou. 4th April-Ixion, Malacea, 9th April-Wittenberg, Ranza. 16th April-Patroclus. · Arrivals at Home-17th April-Polarstjernen, Kawachi Maru, Hamburg, Benjamin F. Packard, Ixion, H. H. Meier.

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CEYLON, British steamer, 2,637. N. Hayward, R.N.R., 18th April,-London 9th March, and Singapore 13th April, General. - P. &

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HAITAN, British steamer, 1,183,. W. Passmore, . April,-Foochow, via :Amoy and Swatow 18th April, General.-Douglas, Lapraik & Co.

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AMARA, British steamer, 1,565, C. J. Mattock, 19th April, Singapore 27th March, and Bangkok 12th April, Rice.-Jardine, LIGHTNINO, British steamer, 2,122, J. G. Spence, 19th April,-Calcutta 30th March, Penang and Singapore 13th April, General.

-David, Sassoon Sons & Co. MUREX, British steamer, 2,329, Halliday, 19th April,-Moji 13th April, Coal.-Amhold, Karberg & Co. CALCHAS, British steamer, 4,278, T. Bartlett, 19th April,—Singapore 14th April, General.
—Butterfield & Swire. ADAMASTOR, Portuguese-cruiser, 1,900, An-

drew, 19th April,-Macao 18th April. LYREMOON, German steamer, 1,238, Th. Lehmann, 19th April,-Shanghai 16th April, General, Siemssen & Co. Clearances at the Harbour Office. Decima, German str., for Swatow. Loongsang, British str., for Manila. 1875-Great fraud on the Comptoir d'Escompte Agamemnen, British etr., for Manila. Kasuga Maru, Japanese str., for Nagasaki. Daybreak, British str., for Shanghai. La Rhone, French str., for Canton. Taishein, American str., for Shanghai.

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April 19, Sanuki Maru, Jap. sir, for Singapore. April 19, Hue, Fronch str., for Quang-chow-wan. April 19, Chelydra, British str., for Calcutta. April 19, Loongrang, British str., for Manila. April 19 Ideimi Maru, Jap. str. for Sentite.

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Per Ceylon, for Hongkong from London-Lt. and Mrs. W. Lloyd, Mr. E. R. Grazebrook 2nd-Lieut. S. Jones, and Mr. H. J. N. Kysche. From Colombo-Mr. W. J. Crighton., From London for Manila-Miss Osmond. From Marseilles for Yokohama-Mr. H. H. Thom. Per Lightning, from Calcutta, &c .- Mrs. O'Brien and child, Col. Macdonald, Major Craster, Lieut. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Bott, Mrs. Griffin and 3 children, Mr. Fenwick, Mrs. W

Wallace, Miss J. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Smith, Mr. Courtney, Miss Benett, Messrs. Stephen, Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Mehta, and 473 Per Calchas, from Singapore-Messrs, Rundle, Heat, Dudley and Bremner.

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Per Idoumi Maru, for Scattle, America via Way Ports-Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bott, Major O'Brien and child, Messrs. W. S. Woods, THE Steamship I. Halted, Miss Lmsa Halter, Mrs. M. Richards, Capt. Olsen and Mrs. Olsen and child.

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Per Kasuga Maru, for Japan Ports-Messrs, A. Achon Adams, J. Selles, Wm. Simpson, -Misses K. E. Lindsay, M. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Butchard, Messrs. R. B. Pynsen, T. Fukushima, Mr. and Mrs. A. Abechett, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Showers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace, Messrs R. H. Butler, G. W. Dennis, Miss Tomkins, Mr. D. Le Crew, Mrs. E. H. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Blackturn, Mr. Campbell Damey, Mrs. Major Cruse and 2 sons, Col. L. C. Heizmann and 3 children, Messrs. R. Ajichi, A. Evangelista, T. M. Taylor, J. J. Kerk, F. Fernandes, Yon Shu Fung, M. Ponce, D. Jason, J. Consumi, J. M. Faleon, L. Gine's, F. Ponce, Mrs. A. V. Rodgers and 3 children, Col. Macquiness, Capt. Kischmeyer, Count Lanjos, Mrs. T. Misuka and Miss K. Yokose.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

Capt. C. J. Mattock, of the steamship Amara, from Singapore and Bangkok, reports:-Fine and clear weather with smooth sea throughout the voyage,

Capt. C. Christensen, of the steamship Decima, and expense. from Saigon, reports :- On the 12th instant, passed the sailing ship Tillie Baker, in Lat. 11.30 and Long. 109.13, who wished to be reported all well.

Capt. N. Hayward, R.N.R., of the steamship Ceyton, from London and Singapore, reports:-Left Singapore at 5.10 p.m. on Saturday last and encountered moderate E. winds with fine weather throughout.

Capt, W. Passmore, of the steamship Haitan, from Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, reports :-Foochow to Amoy light variable, winds, overcast and clear. Amoy to Swatow similar weather. Swatow to Hongkong light to moderate S.W. winds, dull and hazy weather. Vessels in Foochow :- s.s.-Anping. Maru: In Amoy :r French cruiser, 2 Japanese cruisers, s.s. Charterhouse, and Picciola. In Swatow :-German cruiser Sceudler, s.s. Independent, Taicheong, and Shentung.

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Superintendent. Hongkeng, 13th April, 1901:

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FROM MIDDLESBRO, LONDON AND THE Steamship

"DENBIGHSHIRE," Captain Vyvyan, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong. and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon and stored at Consignees'

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\$ 50 \$325 buyers	Discombe, Mr. G. M. Pauless, Mr. Henny Dorehill, R.A., Major Pick, Mr. S.
\$ 20 \$84 buyers	Duff, Mr. W. S. Dummont, Mr. Porter, Mr. C. W.
ping.	Dyson, Capt. P. S. Sakeman, Mr. & M Evers, Mr. Aug. Sandman, Miss L. Seymore, Mr.
\$ 15 \$33\ buyers	Falk, Mr. and Mrs. Seymore, Mr. Flozins, Comdr. A. Shielt, Mr. Geo. H. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Fredre
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75, 10d: \$38, buyers	Mrs. and maid Mackie, Mr. C. Gord Buttanshaw, Miss May Martin, Mr. R.
\$ 5. \$21	Buttanshaw, Master H. McGawan, Mr. A. Carrington, Sir John, Miller, Mr. and Mrs.
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\$ 5 locents	Comrie, Mr. A. F. Prynne, Capt., R.A.M. Crookenden, Col. Prynne, Mrs.
and Godowns.	Dann, Mr. G. H. Qustinoff, Mr. M. Drion, Mr. F. Retallick, Mrs.
\$ 50 177 buyers	Ezekiel, Mr. J. S. Rouse, Mr. A. B. Forbes, Mr. Andrew Shellim, Mr. Edward
\$ 50 \$103	Graham, Mr. D. M. Sinclair, Mr. A. G. Stokes, Mr. A. G.
\$ 371 \$63 buyers	Griffin, Major W. W., Tomlin, Mr. G. L. R.A. Weigress, Mr. H. J.
\$ 61 \$22 nd Buildings.	Gumpert, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, Mr. H. B. Wheeler, Lt. Col. J.
10 597 sellers	CRAIGIEBURN, Anderson, Mr. Jas. Canton, Staff-Surg. H
	Andrews, R.N., Staff- Canton, Mrs. Surg., and Mrs. A. G. Lewis, Mr. M. C. C.
\$100 \$196 sales	Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Volpicelli, Consul
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\$ 50 \$53 buyers \$ 50 \$120 buyers \$ 50 \$80 sellers	HOWLOON HOTEL,
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\$ 25 \$55 sellers \$ 25 \$164 buyers	AGAMEMNON, British steamer, 4,461, H. Nish 13th April,—Moji 9th April, Coals.—
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Benlomono, British steamer, 1,752, Wmi Barfleur, 1st-class battleship, 13,000 tons, 14 Hutton, 13th April, -- Moji 7th April, Coal -Gibb, Livingston & Co. Cole, 16th April, -- Moji 10th April, General.—Dodwell & Co., Ld.

BURNSIDE, American steamer, 1,400, A. H. Lafflin, 14th April,-Manila 11th April, Cable.-Government CHARLES ROOTER, Belgian steamer, 1,291, C. Herlurth, 4th April,-Salgon oth April

Rice .- Dodwell & Co. Ld.

CHWNSHAN, British steamer, 1,281, J. F. Messer, 16th April,—Bangkok 9th April, Rice.—Bradley & Co. CLAVERING, British steamer, 2,255, J. Barlier, 30th Mar, from Port Natal, Ballast, Dodwell & Go., Ld.

iene, Mr. and Mrs. F DECIMA, German steamer, 794, C. Christensen, ing, Maj. H. S., R.E. 15th April,-Saigon 11th April, Rice .-DENBIOHSHIRE, British steamer, 2,488, H. W. ittledale, R.E., Major Vyvyan, 16th April,-London 15th Feb.,

and Manila 13th April, General, Shewten, EMPRESS OF INDIA, British steamer, 3,013, O. P. Marshall, R.N.R., 16th April,-Vancouver 25th Mar, and Shanghal 13th

April, Mails and General.-C. P. R. Co. Eva, German steamer, 2,083, Chr. Peterson; 7th April,—Kobe 31st March, Flour,— Amhold, Karberg & Co. GISELA, Austrian steamer, 2,640, F. Mosca, athews, Mr. & Mrs. 18th April,-Singapore 12th April, General.

-Sander, Wieler & Co. HAIMUN, British transport, 636, W. J. Davis, 12th April,-Weihaiwei via Woosung 5th HANGCHOW, British steamer, 999, J. Pearce, gist Mar.,—Shanghai, 18th Mar, General.
—Butterfield & Swire.

HANOI, French steamer, 768, Pannier, 20th Mar.,-Hoihow 18th Mar., General.-A. .. R. Marty. JACOB DIEDERICHSEN, German steamer, 623. A. Rieke, 17th April,-Haiphong 13th

April, and Hoihow 16th, Rice and General. - ebsen & Co. KAIFONG, British steamer, 1,024, G. H. Pennefather, 16th April,-Cebu and Hoilo sath April, General. Butterfield & Swire.

KWEIVANG, British steamer, 1,062, A. W. Outerbridge, 9th April,—Canton 8th April, General.—Butterfield & Swire. MACEDONIA, British steamer, 1,460. Monsarrat, Janus, torpedo-boat destroyer, in reserve. 11th April,-Wuhu 5th April and Chin-

kiang 6th, General.-Jardine, Matheson & MAIDZURU-MARU, Jap. str., 868, K. Sabozima, 18th April,-Tamsui, Amoy and Swatow 17th April, General.-Mitsui Bussan

MARIE JEBSEN, German steamer, 1,771, P. Hemmert, 14th April,-Saigon 9th April,

· Rice.—Jebsen & Co. OLYMPIA, American steamer, 1,730, John Truebridge, 15th April,-Tacoma 14th March, General - Dodwell & Co., Ld.

PEIVANG, German steamer, 970, W. Wiese, 16th April, - Canton 16th April, General. -Siemssen & Co.

PENARTH, British transport, 1,959, W. H. West, 27th Mar,-Woosung 23rd Mar., Ballast.-

PETRARCH, German steamer, 1,252, Ucher, 25th Mar.,-Manila 20th Mar., Ballast.-Sander, Wieler & Co. PETRIANA, British steamer, 1,140, Snope, 25th

Mar., -Belik, (Papan) 19th Mar., Kerosine. -Arnhold, Karberg & Co. PING SUEY, British steamer, 4,149, Pernelle, 7th April,-Seattle Wash 1st March and Manila 4th April, Ballast - Jardine Matheson-& Co.

POMPEY, American steamer, 785, J. H. Serivener, 21st Mar.,-Manila 18th Mar., Coal. -- U. S. Navy. PRONTO, German steamer, 632, H. Grandt, - 14th 'April,-Iloilo 9th April, 'General,-

Siemssen & Co. SATURN, American collier, 1,817, J. H. Potter, 29th Mar.,-Reef Pratas 28th March. SHANTUNG, British steamer, 1,835, T. Quail, and April,-Hongay 30th March, Coals,-

Butterfield & Swire. SIMONGAN, Dutch steamer, 1,818, Sandman; 17th April,-Samarang and Saigon 29th March, Sugar.-Yuan Far Hong. SKULD, Norwegian steamer, 913, A. Berbom, 12th April, Bangkok 5th April, Rice. Chinese.

STRATHGYLE, British steamer, 3,284, G. R. Gordon, 5th April,-Moji 1st April, General.-Butterfield & Swire. TARTAR, British steamer, 2,768, G. D. Bowles, 4th April,-Tacoma 5th Mar., Flour.-

U. P. R. Co.

Sailing Vessels.

ADOLPH OBRIG, American ship, 1,262, Amsbury, 19th Dec.,-New York and June, and Chefoo 12th Dec., Oil.—Standard Oil Co. DUNDEE, British ship, 1,998, Hernning, 14th Oct.,-New York 29th June, Kerosine Oil. boats. -Standard Oil Co.

Fulwood, British ship, 1,986, Thomas, 1st Dec.,-Cardiff via Cape Town 26th Sept., Adamastor, Portuguese cruiser, 1,900 tons, Coal-Government HOTTIE C. SMITH, American ship, 45, Riley, Aspern, Austrian gunboat, 976 tons, Capt. W. . 24th Feb. Yap 14th Feb. Ballast .-

LARGO BAY, British ship, 1,178, F. Adams, 7th April,-Nagagasaki ist April, Ballast.-Sander, Wieler & Co.

LOUISE J. KENNY, American schooner, 155, A. line Island 11th Mar., Copra.-Master. Luzon, American 45 masted schooner, 512,

Aderson, 31st Mar, -Port Townsend 28th Dec., General.-Holliday, Wise & Co. MADAGASCIR, British 4-masted barque, 1,997. A. H. Smith, 4th Mar., -from New York, Oil.—Standard Oil Co. MERCURY, German schooner, 52, Warnes, 23rd

Feb.,-Yap oth Fob., Ballast.-Siemsson OBI, British schooner, 1,951, R. Pinkham, 9th April,-Cardiff 23rd Reb., Patent Fuel.-

PRESIDENT, British bark, 766, R. B. Munro, 3rd April,-Rajang 8th Feb., Timber.-SEA WITCH, American ship, 1,172, Howes, 21st Feb.,-Manila 18th Feb., Ballast.-Master.

THYRA, British schooner, 2,244, Dunning, 9th April,-Barry Dock 15th Feb., Coals .-VIMEIRA, British 4-masted bark, 2,233, D. S. Millan, 23rd Jan.,-New York 3rd Sept.,

Case Oil .- Order. HIS BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS ON THE CHINA STATION.

Hongkong, April 19th, 1901; Alacrity, despatch-vessel, 1,700 tons, 10 guns, 3,000 i.h.p., Comdr. G. G. F. M. Cradock,

Algerine, sloop, 1,050 tons, 6 guns, 1,100 i,h.p., Comdr. E. D. Hunt, Singapore. Arethusa, 2nd-class cruiser, 3,400 tons, 10 guns, 5,000 i.h.p., Capt. J. Startin, Singapore. Argonaul, 1st-class cruiser, 11,000 tons, 16,500 i.h.p., 16 guns, Capt. G. H. Cherry, R.N., Korsysts, Russun cruiser, 1,200 tons, 9 guns,

April,-Kutchingtzu toth Astraa, British and-class cruiser, 4,300 tons, 7,000 i.h.p., to guns, Capt. A. W. Paget, C.M.C., Shanghai. Aurora, 1st-class cruiser, 5,600 tons, 8,500 i.h.p. 12 guns, Capt. E. H. Bayly, c.a., Singa-

guns, 13,163 i.h.p., Captain G. J. S. Warrender, Nagasaki. BUCKINGHAM, British steamer, 1,876, A. W. Blenkeim, 1st-class criuser, 9,000 tons, 12 guns, 21,411 i.h.p., Capt. Henderson, C.M.G. Hongkong.

> guns, 9,000 i.h.p., Capt. C. J. G. Sawle, Bramble, 1st-class gunboat, 710 tons, 1,300 i.h.p., 6 gune, Lieut, and Consdr. F. M. Loake, Amoy,

Brisk, 3rd-class, cruiser, 1,770! tons, 6. guns, 5,600 l.h.p., Commander Sir Bourchier Wrey, Bart., Shanghai. Britomart, 1st-class gunboat, 710 tons, 1,300

h.p., 6 guns, Lieut. Comdr. E. A. Baird, Foochow. Centurion, 1st-class battleship, 10,500 tons, 14 guns, 9,000 h.pg Capt. J. R. Jellicos, C.n.,

Daphne, sloop, 1,140 tons, 8 guns, 2,000 i.h.p., Com. C. Winnington-Ingram, Shanghai. Dido, andiclass cruiser, 5,000 tons, 11 guns, 9,000 lhp. Capt. Tillard, Shanghai. Endymion, ist-class cruiser, 7/350 tohs, 12,000 l.h.p., 12 guns, Capt. G. A. Callaghan, C.B.,

Est, coast defence gunboat, 363 tons, 3 guns, 200 i.h.p., Lleut. Comdr. F. Blunt, Chin-Fame, twin screw, torpedo-boat destroyer, 360

tons, 6 guns, 5,400 i.h.p., in reserve. Firsbrand, 3rd class gunboat, 455 tons, 4 guns, 360 i.h.p., Canton. Glory, 1st-class battleship, 12,950 tons, 16 guns, 13,500 i.h.p., Captain F. S. Inglefield,

Goliath, ist-class buttleship, 12,950tons, 16guns, 13,500 i.h.p., Capt. L. Wintz, en route Handy, twin screw, torpedo-boat destroyer,

200 tons, 6 guns, 4,000 i.h.p., in reserve. Hart, twin screw, torpedo-boat destroyer, 260 tons, 6 guns, 4,000 i.h.p., Liout. and Com. Hermione, 2nd-class cruiser, 4,560 tons, 100

guns, 9,000 i.h.p., Capt., R. S. D. Cumming, Humber, storeship, 1,640 tons, 800 i.h.p., Com. H. J. Davison, Hongkong. Isis, 2nd-class cruiser, 5,650 tons, 11 guns 9,600 i.h.p., Capt. Charles Windham, Wei-

Linnet, gun-vessel, 756 tons, 2 heavy guns, 4 6-pounders, 870 i.h.p., Commander W. W. Smythe, Singapore.

Lisard, 1st-class gunboat, 715 tons, 6 guns, 870 i.hp., Lieut.-Comdr. J. C. Watson, Hongkong. Ocean, 1st-class battleship, 12,950 tons, 13,500

i.h.p., 16 guns, Hon. A. G. Curzon, Howe, C.B., C.M.G., A.D.C., en route Woosung. Orlando, 1st-class cruiser, 5,600 tons, 12 guns, 8,500 i.h.p., Capt. J. H. Burke, C.B., Shang-

Otter, torpedo-boat destroyer, Lieut. and Com. C. P. Mansel, Shanghai. Phanix, sloop, 1,015 tons, 6 guns, 1,400 i.h.p., Comdr. W. H. Nicholson, Tientsin.

Pigmy, 1st class gunboat, 755 tons, 6 guns, 1,200 i.h.p., Comdr. J. F. E. Green, S'pore. Pique, twin screw, 2nd-class cruiser, 3,600 tons, 8 guns, 7,000 i.h.p., Capt. H. C. Reynolds,

Plover, 1st class gunbont, 453 tons, 6 guns, 1,200 Lh.p., Lieut.-Comdr. C. V. de M. Cowper, Shanghai. Redpole, 1st-class gunboat, 855 tons, 6 guns, 1,200 i.h.p., Lieut.-Com. C. F. Corbett,

Robin river-gunboat, 2 guns, Lieut.-Comdr. G. 'G. Webster, West River. Rosario, sloop, 980 tons, 6 guns, 1,400 i.h.p.,

Com. C. Hamilton, en route Singapore. Sandpiter, British river-gunboat, 2 guns, Lt., Comdr. Carr. West River. Snipe, river-gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 140 i.h.p.,

Lieut, and Commander Oldham, Yangtsze. Swift, 2nd-class gunboat, 756 tons, 6 guns, 870 i.h.p., Hongkong. Taku, torpedo-boat destroyer, 250 tons, Lieut. Comdr. C. P. Beaty-Pownall, Hongkong. Tamar, receiving ship, 4,600 tons, Commodore

Powell, C.B., Hongkong. Terrible, 1st-class battleship, 14,200 tons, guns, 25,000 i.h.p., Capt. Percy Scott, C.B., Tweed, coast defence gunboat, 363 tons, 3

guns, 200 i.h.p., in Reserve Hongkong. Waterwitch, surveying ship, 620 tons, Lieut. Comdr. Lyne, Manila. Whiting, twin screw, torpedo-boat destroyer, 601 tons, 6 guns, 6,000 i.h.p., Lt.-Comdr.

Mackenzie, D.S.O., Shanghai. Wivern, coast defence ship, 2,750 tons, 4 guns, 1,000 i.h.p., Hongkong. Woodcock, river-gunboat, 2 guns, 560 i.h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. Watson, Kiukiang.

Woodlark, river-gunboat, 2 guns, 550 i.h.p. Lieut.-Comdr. H. E. Hillman, Yangtsze. Torpedo-boats in Reserve Nos: 8 and 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first-class; and 3 second-class

Miscellaneous.

Capt. Andrew, Hongkong. Weber, Shanghai. Holland, Dutch cruiser, 8 guns, 3,900 tons,

9,250 i.h.p., Capt. S. N. Sybrandi, Swatow. Kaiserin Elisabeth, Austrian cruiser, 8 guns, 1,500 tons, 9,000 i.h.p., Capt. M. V. Elisenan, H. Olsen, 30th Mar., -Ponape and Caro- Koningin Wilhelmina der Nederlanden, Dutch

cruiser, 8 guns, 4,600 tons, 5,900 i.h.p., Capt. J. P. Rossunn, Swatow. Liberal, Portuguese gunboat, 558 tons, Comdr. José da Cunha Lima, Macao,

Maria Theresa, Austrian cruiser, 10 guns, 5,000 tons, 9,755 i.h.p., Capt. V. Bless Ritter v. Sambuchi, Shanghai. Plet Hein, Dutch cruiser, 5 guns, 3,600 tons, 4.736 i.h.p., Capt. Jansen, Taku.

Zaire, Portuguese gunboat, 600 tons, Captain Mello, Macao. Zenta, Austrian cruiser, 2,500 tons, Captain Skala, Shanghai.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION.

The Russian Equadron. Admiral Korniloff, Russian armoured cruiser,

5,000 tons twin screw, 36 guns, 9,500 h.p., Captain Jakovleff, at Nagasaki. Admiral Nakhimoff, Russian armoured cruiser, 28 guns, 9,000 tons, 8,000 i.h.p., Capt. Vserolojsky, at Tientsin. Aleout, Russian gunboat, 810 tons, 8 guns, 1,200 h.p., Captain Elkisky, at Nagasaki:

Boore, Russian gun-vessel, twin screw, 950 tons, 13 guns, 1,150 h.p., Captain Dobrovolsky, Dimitri Donskoy, Russian armoured cruiser, 5.893 tons, twin screw, 34 guns, 7,000 h.p., Comdr. Sharon, at Taku.

nikff, at Taku Gremiastchy, Russian armoured cruiser, 1,492 tons, twin screw 12 guns, 2,000 h.p., Capt. Miklashevsky, at Taku.

2,150 h.p., Capt. Silmann, at Taku. Mandjour, Russian cruiser, 1,213 tons, twin screw, 14 guns, 1,500 h.p., Capt. Yakoveff, at Nagasaki. Navarini, Russian battleship, 10,000 tons, 10

guns, 9,000 h.p. Capt. Yenish, at Nagasaki. Nayerdnik, Russian cruiser, 1,334 tons, 14 guns, 1,800 h.p., Capt. Zarine, at Nagasaki. W. Olvasny, Russian armoured cruiser, 1,490 tons; twin screw, 12 guns, 2,000 h.p., Captain Coprianoff, at Nagasaki.

Petroparlousks, Russian battleship, 12,000 tons, Capt. Grevais, at Nagasaki. Bonaventure, 2nd class cruiser, 3,000 tons, 18 Polstava, Russian battleship, 10,960 tons, Nagasaki.

Rossia, Russian armourd cruiser, 12,200 tons, 22 guns, 14,500 h.p., Capt. Domojiroff, at Nagasaki

Rosbuynik, Russian cruiser, 1,330 tons, 1,786 Brooklyn, Plagship, U.S. cruiser, 9,215 tons, h.p., 11 guns, Capt. Komaroff, at Singapore. Russian flagship, 10,940 tons, armoured twin screw cruisor, lat class, 48 guns, 13,500 h.p., Capt. Haupt, at Port Arthur," Sevastopol, Russian battleship, 10,900 tons

13,000 i.h.p., 16 guns, Capt. Meleusky, at Silatch, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, 1,200 hp., Capt. Barronoff, at Naganaki. Sissol Veliky, Russian battleship, 10,000 tons, 14 guns, 8,500 i.h.p, Capt. Mollas, at Taku.

Sivoutch, Russian gunboat, 950 tons, twin scrow 13 guns, 1,200 h.p., Capte Soubatin, Don Juan de Austria, U.S. gunboat, Capt. I. at Nagasaki. Swiaborg, 1st class, Russian torpedo boat, 69 tons, 3 guns is torp tubes 780 h.p., speed 19.7 knots. Vladimir Monomach, Russian cruiser, 6,000

tons, 16 guns, Prince Ouchtomsky, at Port Arthur. Wostock, Russian torpedo gunboat, 4 guns, 650 Isla de Luzon, U.S. gunboat, 1,330, Comdi. J. h.p., Com. Molchousky, at Nagasaki. Ksadnik, Russian torpedo boat, 400 tons, 18 guns, twin screw, 1,500 h.p., Capt: Rogulia, . at Taku. Zäblaka, Russian cruiser, 1,230 tons, 20 guns, 2,000 h.p., Capt. Shkruff, at Nagasaki.

(1st and 2nd class.)

Forel, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, I gun, Janichichi, Russian torpedo boat, 87 tons, 4 guns, 970 h.p., 19 knois. Nargen, Russian torpedo boat, 85 tons 4 guns, 1,200 h.p., 22 knots.

Novorossisk, Russian torpedo boat, 87 tons, 4 guns, 2,900 h.p., 22 knots. Podorosnik, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, 1 gun, 220 h.p., 16 knots. Sirik, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, 1 gun, 220

h.p.; 16 knots. Skorpion, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, 1 gun, 220 h.p., 16 mots.

Sootchina, Russian torpedo boat, 87 tons, 4 guns, 970 h.p., 19 knots. Sterlaid, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, ! gun, 220 h.p., 16 knots. Strauss, Russian torpedo boat, 23 tons, 1 gun

220 h.p., 16 knots. Sunguri, Russian torpedo boat, 140 tons, 4 guns, 1,800 h.p., 22 knots.

RUSSIAN TORPEDO FLOTILLA. (SEA GOING.)

Borgo, 1st class, Russian torpedo boat, 81 tons, 1 guns, 2 torp tubes 1,100, h.p., speed 21 Revel, 1st class, Russian torpedo boat, 96 tons, 3 guns, 2 torp tubes 780h.p., speed 22 knots: Ussuri, Russian torpedo boat, 140 tons, 4 guns,

1,800 h.p., 22 knots: † Flagship of Vice-Admiral Alexeieff. * Flagship of Rear-Admiral F. V. Dubossoff. I Flagship of Rear-Admiral Recunoff.

THE GERMAN SQUADRON. Brandenburg, German battleship, 10,100 tons, 40 guns, Capt. Zur S. Rosendahl, at Hong-

Bussard, German Eruiser, 1,600 tons, 8 guns, Comdr. von Bassewitz, at Shanghai. Fürst Bismarck, German flagship, 11,000 tons, 36 guns, Capt. Graf Lottke, at Taku. Gefien, German cruiser, 4,109 tons, 10 guns, 9,000 h.p., Capt. Rollmann, at Amoy. Geier, German gruiser, 1,600 tons, 8 guns,

Comdr. Peters, at Taku, ** * Hansa, German cruiser, 6,800 tons, 30 guns, Capt. Paschen, at Hongkong. Hela, German despatch-vessel, 2,000 tons, 12' Capt. Rampold, at Woosung.

Hertha, German cruiser, 6,000 tons, 30 guns, Capt. von Usedom, at Shanghal. With, German gunboat, 1,000 tons, to guns, Lieut.-Comdr. Sthamer, at Shanghai. Irene, German cruiser, 4,200 fons, 8 guns,

12,930 h.p., Capt. Stein, at Nagasaki. Jaguar, German gunboat, 900 tons, 10 guns, Comdr. Kinderling, Canton. Kaistrin Augusta, German cruiser, 6,331 tons, 20 guns, 1 1,000 p.h., Capt. Gillich, at Amoy. ** Kurfurst Friedrich Wilhelm, German

battleship. 10,100 tons, 40 guns, Capt. von Holzendorff, at Woosung... Zuchs, German gunboat, 850 tons, 10 guns, Comdr. Dachnhardt, at Hongkong. Schwalbe, German cruiser, 1,120 tons, 8 guns, Comdr. Boerner, at Hankow.

Secadler, German cruiser, 1,600 tons, 8 guns, Comdr. Schack, at Amoy. Tiger, German gunboat, 900 tons, 10 guns, Comdr. von Mittelstädt, at Shanghai. Weissenburg, German battleship, 10,100 tons, 40 guns, Capt. Hofmeier, at Amoy.

Warth, German battleship, 10,100 tons, 40. guns, Capt. Borkenhagen, at Taku. K. F. Wilhelm, German battleship, at Naga-No. 90, German torpedo-boat, 320 tons, Capt,

Hoepfmer, at Shanghai. No. 91, German torpedo-boat, 360 tons, Capt. Lieut. Püllen, at Hongkong. No. 92, German torpedo-boat, 320 tons, Capt. Fluinrich, at Shanghai. * Flagship of His Excellency Vice-Admiral

Bendemann. ** Flagship of Rear-Admiral Geissler. *** Flagship, Rear-Admiral Kirchhoff.

THE FRENCH SQUADRON Alonelle, gunboat, 200 tons, Lieut.-Comdr. Belloy, at Nagasaki.

Amiral Charner, and-class cruiser, 4,750 tons, Capt. Bachine, Japan. Bengall, 2nd class dispatch boat, Lt.-Comdr. De La Croix de Castries, at Nagasaki. Chasseloup Laubat, and-class cruiser, 4,000 Lil, American lorcha. Nanning, British steamer, J. J. Lossius, Houge Luc, at Foochow.

Comets, gunboat, 600 tons, Capt. Louel, at Decides, gunboat, 690 tons, Capt. Maresubette, at Taku. * D'Entrecasteaux, 1st class cruiser, 8,100

tons, 26 guns, 13,500 i.h.p., Capt. de Marolles, at Taku. Descarles, and class protected cruiser, 4,000 tons, 36 guns 631 i.h.p., Captain Saune, at Eurs, Dispatch-transport, Capt. Vallee,

Friant, gunboat, 693 tons, Capt Adam, at Shanghai. Guichen, 1st-class cruiser, 0,000 tons, Capt. Galdamak, Russian gunboat, 400 tons, twin Perem, at Shanghai. A Screw, 18 guns, 3,500 h.p., Capt. Serebren. Fean Bart, 1st class cruiser, 4,500 tons, 10 guns, 8,000 i.h.p., Capt. Aubin, at Taku.

Kersaini, 3rd class cruiser, t,300 tons, 13 guns, 2,200 i.h.p., Capt. de la Moice du Portail, at Saigon. Lion, gunboat, 500 tons, 8 guns, 576 h.p., Capt, Frost, at Taku. Pascal, and-class protected cruiser, 4,000 tons,

36 guns, 9,000 i.h.p., Capt. M. Motet, at Shanghai. Siyx, 3rd-class cruiser, 1,800 tons, Captain Vincent, at Hongkong. Surprise, gunboat, 700 tons, 10 guns, 860 i.h.p., Capt. Mornet, at Taku. Vipere, gunboat, 400 tons, Captain G. del

Villeneuve, at Hongkong, * Flagship of Vice-Admiral Courrejolles. THE AMERICAN SQUADRON.

11,255 i.h.p., 16 guns, Capt. Orgeroff, at Albany, U.S. cruiser, 3,500 tons, Comdr. J. R. Craig, at Manila Bennington, U.S. gunboat, 1,710 tons, 6 guns, 3,430 K.p., Comdr. C. H. Arnold, at Hong.

Capt. C. M. Thomas, Shanghai. Callao, U.S. gunboat, 137 tons, 1 gun, 55 h.p., Lieut. Com, G. B. Bradshaw, at Manila. h.p., Comdr. S. W. Very, at Shanghai.

Celtic, U.S. supply-ship) 6,428 tons, 1,890 h.p., Comdr. C. T. Forse, at Manila. Concord, U.S. gunbont, 1,700 tons, 6 guns, 3,405 h.p., Comdr. H. G. D. Colby, at Hong. Culgoa, U.S. supply-ship, 7,000 tons, 2,350 h.p., Comdr. J.W. Carlin, at Manila

C. McLean, at Manile.

Glacter, U.S. supply-ship, Lieut.-Comdr. A. Mortz, at Manila. Helena, U.S. gunboat, 1, 197 tons, 8 guns, 1,998 h.p., Comdr. E. K. Moore, at Manila. Lusign D. W. Knox, at Manila. W. B. Bleecker, at Hongkong.

Kentucky, U.S. battleship, 11,500 tons, Capt.

Chestor, at Manila. Manila, U.S. gunboat, 1,057 tons, 2 guns, 750 h.p., Lieut. Comdr. A. P. Nazro, at Manifa. Mariella, U.S. gunboat, 1,000 tons, 1,500 i.h.p.,
12 guns, Comdr. E. H. Gheen, at Canton. Monadnock, U.S. double-turret monitor, 4,000 tons, 6 guns, 3,000 h.p., Comdr. O. W. Farenholt, at Shanghai.

Monocacy, U.S. gunboat, 1,370 tons, 6 guns, 850 h.p., Com. G. A. Bicknell, at Taku. Monterey, U.S. double-turret monitor, 4,000 tons, 4 guns, 5,244 h.p., Comdr. G. W. Pigman, at Canton. Nanshan, U.S. collier, Ensign F. E. Ridgely,

at Hongkong." Nashville, U.S. cruiser, Comdr. R. P. Rogers, at Nagasaki. Newark, U.S. cruiser, 4,600 tons, Comdr. Mc-Calla, at Hongkong.

New York, U.S. cruiser, 4,083 tons, Capt. B. McCullam, at Manila. Oregon, ist-class U.S. battleship, 10,280 tons, 16 guns, 11,111 h.p., Capt. F. W. Dickens, U.S.N., en route Woosung.

Petrel, U.S. gunboat, 892 tons, 4 guns, 1,095 h.p., Comdr. C. C. Cornwell, at Manila. Princeton, U.S. gunboat, 1,000 tons, 6 guns, 800 h.p., Com. Harry Knox, at Shanghai. Scindia, U.S. cruiser, 7,500 tons, Comdr. J. M.

Miller, U.S.N., at Hongkong. Solace, U.S. cruiser, 5,000 tons, Comdr. Demlap, at Shanghai. Wheeling, U.S. gunboat, 1,000 tons, 6 guns, 1,081 h.p., Com. W. T. Burwell, at Manila. Yorklown, U.S. gunboat, 1,710 tons, 6 guns,

3,392 h.p., Comdr. C. S. Sperry, at Hong. Yosemite, U.S. converted cruiser, 6,179 tons, 10 guns, 3,800 h.p., Capt. G. E. Ide, at Zafiro, U.S. dispatch-vessel, 674 tons Capt. L.

A Cotten, Manila. THE ITALIAN SQUADRON.

Calabria, Italian cruiser, 2,946 tons, Capt. C. Cantelli, Hongkong. Elba, Italian cruiser, 2,720 tons, Capt. Cecconi,

Fiermosca, Italian cruiser, Capt. Garlo Negri, Shanghai. Stromboli, Italian cruiser, 3,898 tons, Captain R. Marselli, en route Home. Vetter Pisant, Italian cruiser, 6,700 tons, Capt. V. Onofrio, Shanghai.

RIVER STEAMERS, SCHOONERS, AND LORCHAS

Falskan, British steamor, 1,425, J. Dick,-Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steambost Ho-nam British steamer, 1,377, H. D. Jones,

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Hankow, British steamer, 2,252, C.-V. Lloyd, Butterfield & Swire. Hof-tong, Chinese steamer, 409 tons, Captain' Chi.Wo & Co. Tai-on, British steamer, 728, J. Lawrence,-Tai On Steamship Co.

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